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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (SEC INFO SHUD READ 1 OF 3 VICE 1 OF 2)

FOR ARA/PAN, GEORGE BROWN

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: OVIP (CARTER, JIMMY)  
SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL VISIT

1. THE FOLLOWING TWO ALTERNATIVE SCHEDULES FOR THE

PRESIDENT'S VISIT HAVE BEEN HANDED TO US BY THE PANAMA-  
NIAN GOVERNMENT. WE HAVE NOT DISCUSSED THEM IN ANY  
DETAIL WITH THE PANAMANIAN, BUT SIMPLY PASS THEM ON  
TO THE PRE-ADVANCE TEAM AS EXAMPLES OF THE PANAMANIAN'S  
THINKING AT THIS POINT. THE PROGRAMS INCLUDE WIVES  
IN ALL ACTIVITIES EXCEPT WHERE SPECIFICALLY STATED OTHER-  
WISE.

SCHEDULE 1 (TENTATIVE)

FRIDAY, JUNE 16

11:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. ARRIVAL OF ALL VISITING  
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PRESIDENTS. RECEIVED BY  
GENERAL TORRIJOS AND GO  
IMMEDIATELY TO THE LA SIESTA  
HOTEL.

3:15 P.M. ARRIVAL OF PRESIDENT CARTER.  
RECEIVED BY GENERAL TORRIJOS AND

GO IMMEDIATELY TO THE LA  
SIESTA HOTEL.

3:30 P.M. DEPARTURE IN CARAVAN FROM  
LA SIESTA HOTEL TO THE  
LEGISLATIVE PALACE.

3:45 PRESIDENT LAKAS RECEIVES  
ALL GUEST PRESIDENTS, CARTER  
AND TORRIJOS AT THE LEG-  
ISLATIVE PALACE.

4:00 P.M. CEREMONY

4:30 PUBLIC SPEECHES

5:15 P.M. ALL PRESIDENTS AND GENERAL  
TORRIJOS DEPART FOR CONTADORA.  
(PRESIDENT LAKAS WILL STAY  
IN PANAMA).

CONTADORA

6:30 - 8:30 P.M. PRIVATE MEETINGS BETWEEN  
PRESIDENT CARTER AND ALL  
VISITING PRESIDENTS.

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6:30 - 8:30 P.M. GENERAL TORRIJOS HOSTS  
COCKTAIL FOR THE SENATORS  
AND THE REST OF THE DELEGATION,  
WHICH ALL PRESIDENTS WILL  
JOIN AFTER PRIVATE INTERVIEWS.  
(STAG)

8:30 P.M. INFORMAL DINNER. GUAYABERA  
(OPEN SHIRT).

11:00 P.M. END OF DAY'S PROGRAM.

SATURDAY, JUNE 17

7:30 A.M. GENERAL TORRIJOS HOSTS BREAK-  
FAST FOR THE VISITING PRESI-  
DENTS, SENATORS AND THEIR  
PARTY.

7:30 A.M. PRESIDENT CARTER HOSTS BREAK-

FAST FOR REPRESENTATIVES OF  
PANAMA PRIVATE SECTOR AND  
AMERICAN RESIDENTS OF PANAMA.  
(STAG)

8:30 A.M. DEPARTURE OF GENERAL TORRIJOS  
AND PRESIDENT CARTER FOR  
SANTIAGO DE VERAGUAS WITH  
SENATORS AND PARTY.

9:00 A.M. PRESIDENT LAKAS BIDS FARE-  
WELL TO VISITING PRESIDENTS IN  
A FORMAL CEREMONY AT TOCUMEN  
AIRPORT.

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9:30 A.M. - 11:00 A.M. GENERAL TORRIJOS AND  
PRESIDENT CARTER AT SANTIAGO  
DE VERAGUAS. MEETING WITH  
THE PEOPLE. (WORKERS, STUDENTS,

ETC.).  
(PROBABLY DIFFERENT PROGRAM  
FOR WIVES).

11:05 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. PRESIDENT CARTER VISITS THE  
CANAL ZONE.

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4:00 P.M.        PRESIDENT CARTER AT THE  
                     PRESIDENCY OF THE REPUBLIC.  
                     PRIVATE INTERVIEW WITH PRESI-  
                     DENT LAKAS AND MEETS  
                     DIPLOMATIC CORPS.

5:00 P.M.        PRESIDENT CARTER DEPARTS FOR  
                     TOCUMEN AIRPORT. FAREWELL  
                     CEREMONIES INCLUDING GENERAL  
                     TORRIJOS.

SCHEDULE 2 (TENTATIVE)

FRIDAY, JUNE 16

9:30 - 11:30 A.M.    ARRIVAL OF VISITING PRESIDENTS.  
                             WELCOMED BY GENERAL TORRIJOS  
                             AND PROCEED TO HOTEL LA  
                             SIESTA.

1:00 P.M.        ARRIVAL OF PRESIDENT CARTER.  
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                     WELCOMED BY GENERAL TORRIJOS  
                     AND PROCEED TO HOTEL LA SIESTA.

1:30 - 3:30 P.M.    PRIVATE WORKING SESSIONS WITH  
                             PRESIDENT CARTER AND VISITING  
                             PRESIDENTS. (STAG).

1:30 - 3:30 P.M.    SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH PRECEDING,  
                             GENERAL TORRIJOS OFFERS A  
                             BUFFET FOR THE SENATORS AND  
                             GROUP. THE PRESIDENTS WILL  
                             ATTEND UPON COMPLETION OF  
                             THEIR MEETINGS.

3:45 P.M.        DEPART HOTEL LA SIESTA FOR THE  
                     LEGISLATIVE PALACE.

4:15 P.M.        PRESIDENT LAKAS RECEIVES  
                     VISITING PRESIDENTS AT THE  
                     LEGISLATIVE PALACE.

4:30 P.M. CEREMONY.

5:00 P.M. PUBLIC SPEECHES. (SPECIAL  
PLATFORM)

5:30 P.M. THE PRESIDENTS DEPART FOR  
AIRPORT ACCOMPANIED BY  
GENERAL TORRIJOS.

5:30 P.M. PRESIDENT CARTER LEAVES FOR  
CONTADORA.

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6:00 P.M. DEPARTURE CEREMONY FOR VISITING  
PRESIDENTS. (GENERAL TORRIJOS  
PRESENT.)

6:30 P.M. DEPARTURE OF GENERAL TORRIJOS  
FOR CONTADORA FROM TOCUMEN.

8:30 P.M. DINNER HOSTED BY GENERAL  
TORRIJOS FOR PRESIDENT CARTER  
AND GROUP.

11:00 P.M. END OF DAY'S PROGRAM.

SATURDAY, JUNE 17

7:30 A.M. THE GENERAL BREAKFASTS WITH  
THE SENATORS AND SPECIAL  
GUESTS INCLUDING EX-PRESIDENT  
ODUBER.

7:30 A.M. PRESIDENT CARTER BREAKFASTS  
WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF  
PANAMANIAN PRIVATE SECTOR AND  
AMERICAN COMMUNITY RESIDENTS  
IN PANAMA. (STAG.)

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FOR ARA/PAN, GEORGE BROWN

8:30 A.M. DEPART FOR SANTIAGO DE VERAGUAS.

9:30 - 11:00 A.M. IN SANTIAGO DE VERAGUAS,  
MEETING WITH THE PEOPLE  
(WORKERS, STUDENTS, ETC.)  
(POSSIBLY SEPARATE PROGRAM  
FOR LADIES).

11:05 - 3:00 P.M. PRESIDENT CARTER VISITS  
THE CANAL ZONE.

4:00 P.M. PRESIDENT CARTER ARRIVES AT  
THE PRESIDENCY. MEETING WITH  
PRESIDENT LAKAS AND DIPLOMATIC  
CORPS.

5:00 P.M. PRESIDENT CARTER DEPARTS FOR  
TOCUMEN.

5:30 P.M. DEPARTURE CEREMONY AT THE  
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AIRPORT. GENERAL TORRIJOS  
PRESENT. JORDEN

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